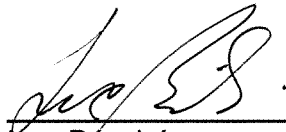


REMARKS / ARGUMENTS

Applicant provides herewith amended claims correcting the improper multiple dependency of the claims. It is respectfully submitted that no new subject matter has been incorporated as a result of the amendment.

Favorable action on this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Luc B. Bérubé', is written over a horizontal line.

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